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December 9, 2003

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### FOIA REQUEST

Dear FOI Officer.

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C s. 552, I request access to and copies of all records on Jamaican-born reggae singer Bob Marley (Robert Nesta Marley). Marley achieved renown with the band The Wailers, later called Bob Marley and The Wailers. He died of cancer on May 11, 1981 in Miami

I agree to pay reasonable duplication fees for the processing of this request in an amount not to exceed \$30 00. However, please notify me prior to your incurring any expenses in excess of that amount.

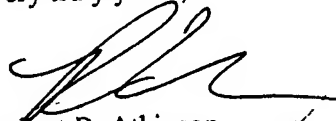
If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material. I, of course, reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees.

As I am making this request as an author and this information is of timely value, I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone, rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request.

I look forward to your reply within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

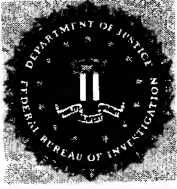
Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,



Robert B. Atkinson

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December 18, 2003

MR ROBERT B ATKINSON

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Request No.: 0988930- 000  
Subject: MARLEY, ROBERT NESTA

Dear Mr. Atkinson:

The records that you have requested were previously processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act for another requester.

Enclosed are 10 pages of documents that are being furnished to you at no charge along with a copy of the Explanation of Exemption form (OPCA 16a).

You may submit an appeal from any denial contained herein by writing to the Co-Director, Office of Information and Privacy, U. S. Department of Justice, Suite 570, Flag Building, Washington, D. C. 20530-0001, within 60 days from the date of this letter. The envelope and the letter should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal." Please cite the FOIA number assigned to your request in your letter so that your request may be easily identified.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Hardy", is located above the closing text.

Sincerely yours,

David M. Hardy  
Section Chief,  
Record/Information  
Dissemination Section  
Records Management Division

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